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## EMPEROR IN COMMAND IN THE BALKANS

Personally Directing the Tunic Allies--  
Lord Kitchener in Charge of Allies

## WILL RENOUNCE TEMPORAL POWER

Pope Said to Want Liberty to  
Take Part in Peace Conference.

(Special to The Herald)  
London, Nov. 17.—The Supreme German War Loyal, Emperor William, is now said to be directing operations of the Tunic Allies in the Balkans, and he has personally taken charge of the bloody battle front which extends across Serbia. Lord Kitchener is said to be in command of the Anglo-French and Serbian forces which are meeting the onrush of the Germans. The battle is the fiercest of the war with the odds favoring first one side and then the other. With the aide of reinforcements, the Bulgarians have recaptured Babuna Pass and Iavor from the Serbians. The French forces which tried to batter their way through to the aid of the Serbians has been beaten back.

### WHIST PARTY

Alpha Connell, Royal Arcanum, held a whist party on Wednesday evening, November 17, 8 p. m., K. G. E. Hall. Good prizes and refreshments.

DeRochemont elder, still running Fridays.

## Portsmouth Poultry Association Poultry, Dog and Cat Show

Freeman's Hall, Dec. 8, 9, 10, 11

## Underwear Display Week

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## MERODE Hand Finished UNDERWEAR

November 15-20



We like to sell our customers "Merode" Underwear. It means satisfaction—and satisfied customers are our greatest asset. We have always taken a keen interest in our underwear department since installing this brand. We can recommend it without reserve.

The large selection of styles, beautiful finish, extra quality and low prices, will please you.

Prices 50c to \$3.50

Make out your list and come prepared to be suited. Don't forget our perfect fitting Union Suits.

# GEORGE B. FRENCH CO.

## BANCROFT DECLARES MRS. BURNS SANE

Most Prominent Witness in Today's Court Proceedings--Lively Tilt Between Counsel--  
Mrs. Burns Interested But Calm

At the opening of the third day of the Burns trial, the court room was well filled with spectators, many ladies being present and apparently taking a keen interest in the proceedings. Mrs. Burns, accompanied by Mrs. Shaw, wife of Deputy William B. Shaw, sat in her customary place and appeared as calm and collected as in the previous days of the trial. She showed no visible emotion while either Mr. Chapman or Dr. Charles P. Bancroft, the state's expert on insanity, who stated she was sane from his observations.

### Sold the Poison

Walter A. Chapman, druggist at 797 Elm street, Manchester, the first

witness, recalled that a woman came to his place of business on December last and asked for cyanide of potassium. She said she wanted two ounces for her brother who was a photographer and jeweler in Raymond. As there was nothing strange about the request the order was filled and she signed the poison book with the name of Miss Alice Howard, and I added Raymond, in my handwriting. I have seen this woman in the county jail since and it was Mrs. Burns, the defendant in court.

On cross examination Mr. Chapman said that the amount of cyanide of potassium that he sold Mrs. Burns was enough to kill two or three hundred persons.

Believes Mrs. Burns Sane  
Dr. Charles P. Bancroft of Concord,

superintendent of the New Hampshire state hospital. During my thirty-three years experience I have seen 30,000 cases of insanity and have made a special study of that subject. On May 29 Mrs. Burns came to the hospital and remained there until September 2nd for observation. I saw her at least once a week and had practically daily reports from those in attendance. She was examined by both Dr. Doloff and myself. As the result of my observation I formed the opinion that she was sane and her conduct did not show that she was recovering from an attack of insanity. Mrs. Burns was before the entire medical staff of the hospital at one time and examined at some length.

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## ROYAL MAIL STEAMER WRECKED

Goes Ashore on Las Palmas  
in Canary Islands.

(Special to The Herald)  
Las Palmas, Canary Islands, Nov. 17.—The royal mail steamer, Penbrokeshire, 4,668 tons, has gone ashore on the Canary Islands south of Las Palmas. Other steamers have gone to her assistance.

## MASTER WARRIOR TO DIRECT CONFLICT

Kitchener and Von Mackensen  
to Lead Gallipoli  
Forces.

(Special to The Herald)  
Rome, Nov. 17.—Efforts of the Allies to win a victory at Gallipoli, will bring two master warriors, Lord Kitchener of Bhagdad and Field Marshal von Mackensen into conflict, according to reports received here today. Von Mackensen is said to have arrived in Constantinople Friday, and Kitchener is reported in news dispatches from Athens to have sailed from Lemnos for the Dardanelles on a warship.

## PROVIDENCE THREATENED BY FIRE

Two Hundred Autos and One  
Thousand Bales of Cotton  
Lost.

(Special to The Herald)  
Providence, Nov. 17.—Two hundred automobiles were ruined and one thousand bales of cotton were destroyed in an early morning fire which threatened the business and factory district this morning. The first loss was \$600,000. It destroyed the Providence warehouse on Main street and damaged the Smith-Foster repair garages.

## RUSSIAN FLEET ACTIVE IN THE BLACK SEA

Bombards the Bulgarian Sea Coast.

(Special to The Herald)  
Paris, Nov. 17.—A newspaper dispatch from Bucharest states that a powerful Russian fleet consisting of three superdreadnoughts and thirteen other ships are bombarding the Bulgarian Black Sea coast.

## AUSTRIAN SUBMARINE SINKS LINER

Captain Given Plenty of Time  
to Take Off the Passengers.

(Special to The Herald)  
Syracuse, Italy, Nov. 17.—Torpedoed by a submarine in the Mediterranean the Italian steamer Borghese has been sunk, it was announced here today. All of the passengers were saved. No information as to the fate of the crew has been received and it is thought that they were rescued. The submarine which sank the vessel is said to have been an Austrian. It is stated that the captain of the steamer was given full warning before a torpedo was fired.

Read the Want Ads

from New York for Vladivostok on Aug. 21, went aground today on the Yesso Island, and will be a total loss.

The Boston newspapers are devoting considerable space to the Burns trial.

AT  
McINTOSH'S  
For Thanksgiving at Reduced Prices

ALL the lines of silverware you see advertised.

The Best Made.  
Also Sterling.  
Let us show you.

## LOST WITH RUSSIAN WAR SUPPLIES

Yokohama, Nov. 17.—The Norwegian steamship Tellus, which sailed

considerable space to the Burns trial.



## NEW WINTER MODELS IN Gossard, LaGrecque, Nemo & R. & G. Corsets

Before buying your new suit let us fit you to a pair of corsets, from any of the above makers.

Gossard Corsets.....\$2.00 to \$7.50

La Grecque Corsets.....\$1.00 to \$5.00

Nemo Corsets.....\$2.00 and \$3.00

R. & G. Corsets.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00

Special Corsets for Misses—

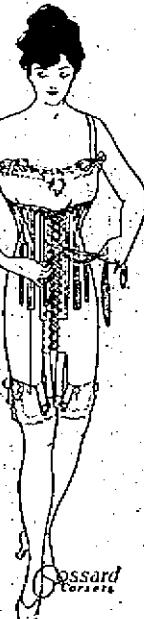
Gossard .....\$2.00

La Grecque .....\$1.00

Gossard and De Bevoise Brassieres.....

39c to \$1.00

L. E. STAPLES THE BOOSTER STORE MARKET ST.



## DEATH FOLLOWS BOYS' FIGHT

Lewis H. Emerson of Epping  
Victim of After-School  
Squabble.

The past week brought a real tragedy at Epping in the death of 18-year-old Lewis H. Emerson, who it is claimed died as the result of injuries received at the hands of an angry schoolmate.

The story goes that the two lads, both pupils in the fourth grade, had trouble over some school work, and the ill feeling was carried outside the school rooms. According to what is learned, blows were struck and the two lads ran upon the veranda of a house where young Emerson was struck upon the head with a window brush.

He fell and was picked up by the inmates of the house. Later when developed he started for home. He walked three miles and upon arriving was in such a condition that he did not recognize his mother.

Doctor Pernard of Nottingham was called who later procured Doctor Keniston of Exeter for consultation. The lad entered a state of coma, was seized with convulsions and later died. He had a bad fracture of the skull.

The accident was rendered the more tragic as the lad had been afflicted with defective eyesight and deafness for some time.

## KITTERY

Breezy Items from the Village  
Across the River.

Tuesday was observed as visiting day at the Shapleigh school, North Kittery.

Dr. H. B. Haskell, of Jerusalem, gave a very able address on "The Moslem Menace" at the Second Methodist church on Tuesday evening.

The second meeting in November of York Rebekah lodge will be omitted as the date falls on Thanksgiving. The next meeting will be held Thursday evening, Dec. 5.

The Senior class of Trap Academy will give a supper and entertainment in the vestry of the Second Christian church on Thursday evening.

Whitfield Sprague of Government street has accepted a position with the New England Steel and Ordnance Co., Portsmouth.

The Philathena Club will meet this evening in the vestry of the Second Christian church. It is important that all members attend.

Miss May Priest of Saxonville, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leslie J. Williams of Love lane.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 5, a concert will be given in Academy hall by the "Olivette Trio under the auspices of the Seniors of Trap Academy. It will be remembered that these three musical young ladies composing the trio appeared here twice last year, and were well received.

Miss Anna Blaisdell of York is passing a few days with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Baker of Love lane.

A jitney social will be held in the vestry of the Second Methodist church on Thursday evening, given under the auspices of the Sunday school classes of Mrs. J. Edith Paul and Harvey Grant. A very fine program has been prepared, which will include a pleasing little drama entitled "The Creed of the Bells."

Mrs. Floyd-Middleton has returned to her home in New York after a visit

with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Brind of Whipple road.

Mrs. Charles E. Woods of Locke's Cove passed today in Dover.

Purser Earle H. Dearborn has resumed his duties on the ferry Alice Howard after enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Mabel Yerks has been passing a few days in town the guest of Mrs. Clifford Williams of Echo street.

Dr. J. M. Frost, district superintendent of the Methodist Episcopal church has returned to Portland after passing a few days in town.

C. C. Allen of Phillips, Me., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Woods of Locke's Cove.

The Ladies' Aid of the Second Methodist church will meet on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Baker, Love lane.

A prayer meeting was held this afternoon at the home of Rev. William M. Forgrave, Otis avenue.

Albert Moulton of North Kittery has accepted a position with the New England Steel and Ordnance Co. of Portsmouth.

Miss Julia Duncan of Locke's Cove passed today in Dover.

Mrs. Charles H. Farwell of Walker street is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leo Irish of Providence, R. I.

The Phoebe Sewing Bee will be held on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Stacy, Fort Hill. All members are urged to be present as business of importance will come before the meeting.

Mrs. Ethel Gerry Wakefield of Randolph, Vt., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gerry of Commercial street.

Edgar Brown of Oak Bank has taken employment with the New England Steel and Ordnance Co., Portsmouth.

Mrs. Leslie L. Williams of Love lane is entertaining her niece, Mrs. Myra Chickering of Saxonville, Mass.

The first rank was conferred on one candidate at the meeting of Constitution Lodge, Knights of Pythias, held on Tuesday evening.

The following were the floral tributes at the funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Parker Mound, "Mother," from sons Ernest and Morris Parker; mound of roses from brothers, Howard and Joseph Keene; spray of chrysanthemums, nieces and nephews, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Keene, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keene, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bridges, and Miss Eva Keene; spray cala lilies, E. C. Cary and family; mound, Mrs. M. C. Fernald; spray chrysanthemums, Mrs. L. M. Burnham; spray pink and chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson; pink and chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cawell; spray chrysanthemums, Mrs. Fred W. Sabin and John Lawry; spray chrysanthemums, Mrs. May J. Wentworth; spray pink and ferns, Mrs. May Smith, Mrs. Abbie Irland, Miss Julia Duncan; Edwin A. Duncan and William Brown; spray pink, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker; spray chrysanthemums, the Misses Julia and Marion Abrams and William Abrams; spray pink and ferns, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Abrams; roses, Miss Harriet Keller.

A buffet dance and luncheon was given under the auspices of the Catholic Society in Grange Hall on Tuesday evening. The affair was in charge of Mrs. John Ryan, assisted by the ladies of the parish. A very pleasant evening was passed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Billington, who have been residing in the Munson house, Post road, the past summer, leave next week for their home in West Lynn, Mass.

Raymond Cressy has concluded his duties on the navy yard and left this morning for his home in Portland.

Mrs. Sarah Snow who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Billington of the Post road has gone to Somerville, Mass., where she will pass the winter with her daughter, Mrs. O. H. Tarr.

Constipation causes headache, indigestion, dizziness, drowsiness. For a mild, opening medicine, use Dr. Dain's Regrets, 25¢ a box at all stores.

TWO MICHIGAN STARS WHOSE PLAYING THIS SEASON HAS HELPED MAKE GRIDIRON HISTORY.



Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 17—Although whose playing has stood out are Capt. the Michigan eleven experienced a disastrous season on the gridiron. Cochran at guard and Maulbetsch at fullback have been the stars. These two cracks have "Hurry Up" Yost has the honor of played a wonderful game at their re-bringing out several stars who have specific positions and are almost sure helped make football history this year, of being selected by experts for their Among those on the Wolverine eleven All-American teams.

## BOSTON LETTER

Boston, Nov. 17>Returns received at the state department of fisheries and game, and which were completed today indicates a marked decrease in the number of pheasants slain during the open season this year as compared with those killed during the same period last year. The open season on pheasants extends from October 12 to November 12. This year the total number of birds killed was 5,714, while in 1914 the number was 8,943. The reason for the decrease as explained by the fish and game experts is that the pheasants have grown wiser and remained closer to cover this year than last, which was the first open season on these birds. The following is a comparative table of the number of pheasant slain in each of the counties which permits the shooting of these birds:

	1915	1914
Barnstable .....	16	31
Essex .....	1,131	2,583
Berkshire .....	336	477
Hampden .....	247	467
Middlesex .....	1,866	2,832
Norfolk .....	618	655
Worcester .....	1,197	1,926
Totals .....	5,714	8,943

The report of the activities of the Boy Scout Movement in Greater Boston shows an increase during the past year from 92 troops, 76 semitroops, 77 assistant masters and 1,518 scouts to 145 troops, 135 masters, 138 assistant masters and 2,536 scouts. There are many other troops and leaders registered or being formed of which the number is not definitely known. There are at present 1,126 volunteers and five paid workers in scout work in Greater Boston.

Governor David L. Walsh in a tribute to Booker T. Washington said: "No member of the colored race has done more to break down the barrier of human prejudice between black and white. The country, and the colored people especially have suffered a great

## THINK FIRE SET BY GERMAN SYMPATHIZERS

Biddeford, Me., Nov. 16—While the cause of the \$50,000 fire in the big storehouse of the Pepperell Manufacturing Company the night of October 29 is as much of a mystery as ever, the better is gaining ground that the blaze was set by a German sympathizer because the plant was making sheeting that might eventually reach the Allies.

One thing that has puzzled the officials from the first is the fact that when Watchman John Edgecomb entered number 2 section of the warehouse where the fire originated at 9:07 p. m. and made his usual careful scrutiny, he saw no indication of fire. At 9:25 Watchman Francis Murphy, who was walking through number 2 picked some distance away noticed a lurid glare in one of the windows of the cotton house. He investigated and found that a blaze was raging furiously within.

In spite of every precaution taken by the company to prevent a fire in the cotton house, where \$3,000,000 worth of goods has been stored at one time, in 18 minutes a tremendous fire was raging and it took the firemen of four cities to subdue the flames.

Those who favor the incendiary theory believe that some one entered the storehouse disguised as a cotton hauler, and placed some kind of a machine that started the fire. Had a fire been smoldering in the cotton the watchman would have noticed the smoke when he went to the section at 9:07. It is believed,

## DIVIDED HER LARGE FORTUNE

Mrs. Jessup Remembered Yale  
and Williams Colleges—  
Millions to National  
Museum.

Pittsfield, Nov. 17—Williams College and Yale University received each \$300,000 from the will of Mrs. Maria Van Antwerp DeWitt Jessup widow of Morris W. Jessup of New York, which was probated here today. More than five million dollars goes to the American Museum and National History Society of New York. She left an estate of \$12,000,000. She left two million to relatives and four million to different institutions.

## NO QUININE IN THIS COLD CURE

"Pape's Cold Compound"  
ends colds and grippe in  
a few hours.

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses, then all grippe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat," sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stouffed-up! Quit blowing and sniffling. Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

## DON'T LIKE NEWSPAPERS

Nashua Strikers Resent Their  
Criticism.

Nashua, Nov. 16—The first public mass meeting of the strikers held tonight, was unusually interesting much being commended and many criticisms being freely given. Counsel William J. Barry for the striking employees of the Nashua and Jackson companies said "our position is and always will be that the matter be put up to a board of arbitration. If the companies have any compromise to make we will consider it fairly, but until that offer comes every one of my clients will remain firm. We ask that the matter be referred to an impartial arbitration board and we will abide by such a board's decision.

The meeting was called to order by President Daniel Sullivan of the Central Labor Union and he introduced B. L. Nutting of Concord, president of the State Federation of Labor, who presided.

Various speakers criticized the newspapers as especially open to criticism for certain editorials and articles that have appeared on the strike situation.

Former Mayor W. H. Barry scored Agent Milliken of the Nashua company for delaying action and called him to account for the statement that he had not received the request of the strikers. Mr. Barry said that the request had been presented to the agent.

Counsel Barry was in a highly critical mood and at various times alluded to newspapers, Agent Milliken, and certain lawyers, taking them to task for their stand in the discussions of the past few weeks.

President Nutting in his introduction stated that there were three million workers behind the Nashua strikers and that they would be taken care of no matter how long the strike lasted.

Counsel Barry in his opening remarks scored the secret meeting of business men a week ago to discuss the strike.

"There has not been a strike broken in the Nashua mill since the strike started. There has not been an arrest of a striker who started any trouble. The first riot was caused by a mill employee firing a gun in the mill yard," said Mr. Barry.

The other speakers included Organizer John T. McEachen who spoke on textile conditions and J. J. Coyne of Manchester, secretary-treasurer of the A. F. of L. who spoke on the militia situation.

## BOWLING

At the Creek Alleys last evening the Young Pines defeated the Wine Clerks, taking all four points in their match.

The score:

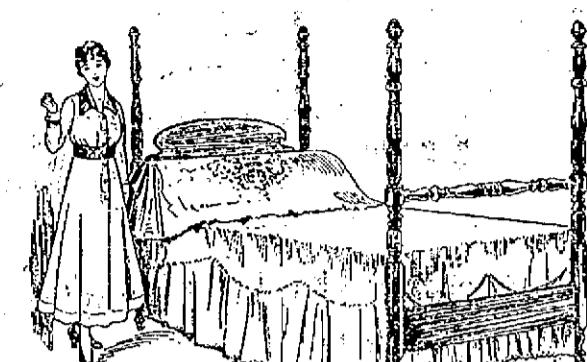
	Young Pines
McDonald .....	92 93 68-233
Hudley .....	96 84 57-267
Welsh .....	76 100 92-272
Burns .....	86 84 83-263
	350 361 331 1045
	Wine Clerks
Geyers .....	80 91 80-270
Snow .....	80 91 76-219
Aheran .....	71 84 73-229
Goose .....	86 82 79-217
	317 351 327 995

## A Solid Mahogany

## Four Post Bed

WORTH \$38.00

FOR \$25.00 ONLY  
DURING THIS SALE.



This is the best value we have ever offered. It is of graceful design and perfect proportion; is made of solid Honduras wood and equipped with improved sanitary side rails and is exactly like cut.

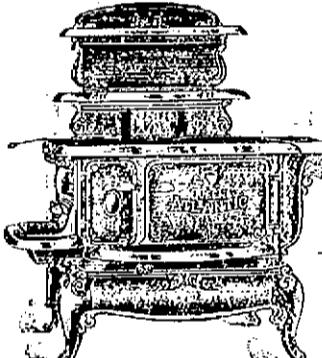
The best value in New England. Come now if interested.

## Portsmouth Furniture Co.

Near Boston & Maine Depot

Corner Deer and Vaughan Streets.

## The Daylight Oven



The New Atlantic Feature, the Glass Oven Door, appeals at once to the housewife for its convenience. The Cake, Roast or Bread can be plainly seen at every point. Cooking is not retarded by opening and closing the oven. The smooth glass plates are easily removed for cleaning. The door can be readily attached to any Queen or Regal Atlantic now in use at trifling cost.

## Seventy-Five Stoves for Sale

I have decided to close out my entire line of Heating Stoves and Range. They are all in good condition and will be sold at Bargain Prices. The lot includes the "Station Agent" Cast Iron Heating Stoves, Cylinder and Box Stoves, Air Tight Stoves for burning Wood and a lot of Parlor Stoves. A large line of Brass and Copper Andirons, Shovels and Tong, Antique and New Furniture.

J. L. O. COLEMAN,  
Telephone Connection.

## Hardwood Flooring

Do you realize that a VENEER FLOOR can be bought nearly as cheaply as a carpet can? That it lasts as long as five carpets? That it looks better and

# RECRUITING STATION OPEN IN DOVER NOW

SUBSTATION TO PORTLAND  
HEADQUARTERS BEGAN BUSI-  
NESS TUESDAY IN CHARGE  
OF QUARTERMASTER  
GIBSON.

The United States Recruiting Station of Portland, Me., opened a substation in Dover Tuesday morning at No. 1 Third street in the Merchants National Bank building.

This station will not only do recruiting but will re-enlist men with previous service in the Navy into the Naval Reserve. J. M. Gibson, chief quartermaster, who is in charge of it, as there are a good many ex-service men in this city, and as the Naval Reserve does not take men from their present occupation, but pays them a sum of money and only obligates them to serve in time of war. No man who is in civil life, and who has had previous service is going to pass this opportunity by, because if they do they are just throwing that much money away.

5 p.m., but Quartermaster Gibson expects to spend several evenings each week in the office to give information to those who cannot apply during work-office hours. He will also meet any one there who wishes information at any given time, by dropping him a card or leaving a note in the office.

elided surprise, New Haven has every right and title to excessive jubilation over the result.

After a season of discouraging defeats at the hands of the so-called smaller teams the Yale authorities in desperation sent for the famous Thomas Shevlin, who once before, in 1910, came to the assistance of his Alma Mater and in two weeks of hard work educated an apparently hopeless team into a machine that beat Princeton 5 to 3.

In spite of the fact that Princeton, for the first time in forty-two years, sent to New Haven an eleven that most outsiders were confident would win, still the Princeton players themselves were not able to forget past Yale-Princeton contests. They seemed to believe from the start that Yale would accomplish the unexpected.

With one more week left for Coach Shevlin to put on the finishing touches and get the Yale men in condition for the Harvard game it looks as if the Cambridge eleven might meet a more powerful organization than they have expected to encounter. The game next Saturday will probably not be a "walk away" for Harvard as in the past few years.—New York Sun.

## DANDRUFF GOES! HAIR GETS THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments. Try this!

Hair stops coming out and every particle of dandruff disappears.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderino, you can not find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair fine and downy at first—yes—but really now hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderino immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and frayed, just moisten a cloth with Danderino and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderino from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove that your hair, as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

Danderino is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

### CONCORD TO HAVE DEFENSE DAY

Mayor Charles J. French of Concord has designated Monday, December 6, as "Defense Day," in doing this he is co-operating with the American Defense Society which seeks to have the generally observed throughout the country. In the announcement made on Tuesday Mayor French urges all citizens in sympathy with the movement for preparedness, to unfurl their flags on residences and places of business.

The movement also embraces a plan to have those believing in the need of building up the defensive forces of the country to send letters expressing their views to members of Congress, which convenes on that date.

### PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED.

The partnership heretofore existing under the name of E. N. McNabb & Co., having been dissolved by mutual agreement, I shall conduct the business at the old stand on Market street as in the past. All bills of said firm are payable to me. A telephone call at 791M will be promptly answered, or evening calls may be charge-reversed to Rye Beach 42-2.

W. C. PHILBRICK,  
Contractor and Builder.

### STARTS CAMPAIGN AGAINST CIGARETTES

Superintendent Henry C. Morrison of the state department of public instruction has sent circulars throughout the state calling attention to the laws relating to the sale of tobacco and cigarettes to minors, which provide a fine of \$50 for each offense. Superintendent Morrison sent along a request that the circulars be given conspicuous display in all of the towns and cities.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

The annual birthday party of the Grafford Club will be held this evening.

The weather this Wednesday morning was decidedly chilly and gave one a pre-taste of what soon may be expected.

## BANCROFT DECLARS MRS. BURNS SANE

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I do not regard common ordinary jealousy as insanity.

Cross examined by Col. Bartlett, there is a form of insanity known as melancholia, produced by poor health.

It is a disease that may occur in middle life.

I told the doctor in charge to care-

fully watch the conduct of the patient and report anything that was a departure from normal.

I think that there is a record of an incapacity being used as well as drugs being administered to Mrs. Burns during her stay at the hospital. Her sleep was variable. Some nights she slept well and at other times she was restless.

I do not know whether she drank any of the poisonous salve that was given her for rheumatism and was rendered unconscious or not.

She may have regained her physical health and still have melancholia.

I recall a night when she was restless and wanted to go into the farther part of the ward. The nurse remonstrated, the head nurse was called and Mrs. Burns was finally induced to return. She was nervous and said she wanted to go where she would be alone.

A delusion is a false belief that cannot be accounted for by ordinary arguments. A person might have a delusion which included jealousy in its makeup. Jealousy is only a notion which may occur in perfectly sane minds.

Historical insanity is a form which hysteria predominates.

Suicide is one of the tendencies and outgrowth of melancholia.

If we have a melancholia patient in the asylum, we always guard against suicide.

There are many insane persons who conceal their delusions. There are people who are insane for only a short period.

It is a very common thing to recover from acute melancholia. There is nothing in the person to tell you they had been troubled, without an examination. A close examination of their mental processes would however reveal the fact.

The cross examination of Dr. Bancroft lasted up to the time adjournment was taken at 12:40.

At 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon after the return of the jury and court from Nottingham, the trial was continued. Mrs. Mary T. Webb, wife of Roy P. of Nottingham, the employer of Burns at the time of his death, and at whose house he stayed most of the time he was in Nottingham when he was called for Mr. Burns.

**Objections by Defense**

Judge Guptill asked, "When you told Mr. Burns of the call being for him, how did he answer it, readily or reluctantly?"

Before the witness could answer Col. Bartlett was on his feet with an objection, stating that admission of this evidence would tend to show Burns' actions when not in the presence of the defendant. The court ruled against the defense and the question was answered that Mr. Burns, "came right in." Col. Bartlett took exception to the ruling of the court, the question and the answer.

Mrs. Thompson was cross-examined by Col. Bartlett.

Q.—Do you remember stating that you deemed the affection disclosed by Mrs. Burns for her husband was silly?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Did they act in the affectionate manner before other people?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you ever remark that they seemed more like lovers than man and wife?

A.—Yes.

Q.—You made this statement to me two or three weeks ago?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Is what you now say to me true?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you ever tell me that Mrs. Burns would always kiss her husband when he was going away to work and always run to meet him when he was coming home?

Q.—What made you say it?

Mrs. Webb did not answer and after waiting a long time Col. Bartlett said "All right, we will skip that question."

Mrs. Webb said that she never talked with Mrs. Burns about Mr. Burns nor discussed his actions. She said that she had seen them kiss each other at the time of her departure on her first or second visit to Laconia, believing that it was the second, about two weeks before Mr. Burns' death. She said that when he was going away on any lengthy stay she was around she always saw them kiss.

At this point counsel and witness engaged in a slight battle about just what she did or did not tell him. Mrs. Thompson said that she could not have made that remark as she did not always see Mr. Burns when he was leaving and returning although she said that when he was going away on any lengthy stay she was around she always saw them kiss.

Q.—Did you ever see her go to meet him when he was returning from work?

A.—Yes.

Q.—How far did she run to meet him?

A.—She ran down the road as far as the turn by the church.

Q.—Would they walk back together?

A.—She rode back with him on the team.

Q.—Was Mrs. Burns a woman who wanted to go out much evenings to socials and other things?

A.—I don't know as she wanted to go or not. I know that she did not go.

Q.—Did she wait him to go?

A.—I don't know.

Q.—Did you ask her how much she did?

A.—Yes you did, and I didn't tell you.

Re-examined by the state she stated that the tables and couch were in the same position now as on the night of the death of Burns.

Mrs. Sarah Stone, a niece of Mrs. Walker, who was staying with her that evening, arriving at 4:00 o'clock on Monday afternoon, testified about the same as Mrs. Walker except that she said she went into the room with Mrs. Burns and that Burns was then sitting on the bed and later fell to the floor.

She stated that Mrs. Burns did hurry and seemed excited and that she rushed quickly for the doctor. Her examination produced no new evidence by

about her habit of leaving the house suddenly at mealtime?

A.—Yes, I may have mentioned it.

Q.—Did you hear her ask in an angry tone what Mr. Webb and another man meant by talking about her?

A.—No.

Q.—Didn't you mention that to us?

A.—Yes, but it was only from hearsay.

Q.—Did you hear anything said by Mrs. Burns at such a time?

A.—I heard her speaking in an angry tone to Mr. Webb while he and another man were in the bar but could not hear what they said.

Q.—Did you hear what your husband said?

A.—Yes. He told her to leave the place and he was angry with her at the time.

Mr. Bartlett then asked the witness if she considered Mrs. Burns' act of ordering children from the yard when they came for milk was an irrational act. Mrs. Thompson said that she thought that it was queer and stated that after that many of the children's parents called for the milk instead of sending for it by the children. She stated to questions that she had not seen Mrs. Burns playing cards alone with marked cards although she had seen her playing with cards alone. She was not certain if the cards were marked or not.

"Crazy, Drunk or Foolish?"

Mrs. Thompson said that it was her duty to explain just what she meant by saying that Mrs. Burns acted queerly but she stated that Mr. and Mrs. Burns "would look at each other and giggle like two silly children." She said that she never saw her sitting in his lap.

Q.—Do you remember saying that from the way she acted she was either crazy, drunk or foolish?

A.—Yes.

Q.—You did say that?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you mean it?

A.—Well, I didn't mean that she was exactly insane, but I didn't think that she was quite right.

Mrs. Thompson stated that she never knew that Mrs. Burns drank any liquor, but that she acted funny and gave the appearance of not being exactly intoxicated, but queer. That she never had any sign of liquor on her breath nor were there any bottles found but she seemed more crazy or foolish than drunk. She further testified that although a doctor had been called to see Mrs. Burns at times that she never heard her complain of pains in her head or back and that she paid little or no attention to Mrs. Burns. She admitted that she had mentioned to several people that she "did not know what the matter was with Mary."

In answer to the last question that the trouble was due to her mind more than to others, Mrs. Thompson said yes.

**Hannah A. Walker Called**

Mrs. Nellie J. Thompson, Mrs. Webb's mother was then called to the stand by Judge Guptill. In her direct examination she stated that she was the mother of Mrs. Webb, lived at the Webb house in Nottingham, that she knew both Mr. and Mrs. Burns and that they lived much of the time during the past few months prior to the death of Mr. Burns at the Webb home. She testified that at times Mr. and Mrs. Burns talked very loud while in their room and that their conversation was not overheard by her. That Mrs. Burns at times appeared to use liquor. She said that she did not see Mrs. Burns on the Sunday or the Monday before Burns' death but that she answered the phone four times in the forenoon of Monday when Mrs. Burns called for Mr. Burns.

**Objections by Defense**

Judge Guptill asked, "When you told Mr. Burns of the call being for him, how did he answer it, readily or reluctantly?"

Before the witness could answer Col. Bartlett was on his feet with an objection, stating that admission of this evidence would tend to show Burns' actions when not in the presence of the defendant. The court ruled against the defense and the question was answered that Mr. Burns, "came right in." Col. Bartlett took exception to the ruling of the court, the question and the answer.

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**Hannah A. Walker Called**

Hannah A. Walker of Nottingham, aged 79 years, was called by the state.

It was at the home of Mrs. Walker that Mr. Burns died. She testified to Mrs. Burns coming to her for a room on the Saturday before Burns' death and that Mr. Burns came there in the evening. That she did not see Burns until the morning. Her testimony was simply as to the position of the house, hold furniture and the location of the rooms, her awakening and that of her niece, Mrs. Stone, by Mrs. Burns, by her coming into the room between 4:00 and 5:00 o'clock Tuesday morning and saying "Come quick, my husband is very sick." That she dressed and went to see Burns, that he was lying on the floor and that she advised him not to attempt to lift him onto the bed. She said that he was dressed in overalls and trousers and that she advised the sending for a doctor. That Mrs. Burns and Mrs. Stone tried to lift Burns onto the bed but that he groaned and they allowed him to lie on the floor. That Mrs. Burns took a lantern she lit for her, pulled on her (Mrs. Walker's) overshoes, that she didn't hurry about going to phone for the doctor and that she didn't seem at all concerned about Mr. Burns condition.

She also testified about a team which called for Mrs. Burns on Tuesday about 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, but that Mrs. Burns asked her to go out and tell the driver that she could not go as her husband had died.

Cross-examined by Counsel Bartlett she stated that she didn't know how much clothing Mrs. Burns had on but she was certain that she didn't hurry.

She said that she had dressed before going into the room where Mr. Burns was and that her niece, Mrs. Stone, was there before her as she had stopped to get the fire burning good to heat water in case the doctor wanted it. She said that she thought that she heard the door slam before Mrs. Burns called her but wasn't certain.

She said, in answer to questions, that she had not seen Mrs. Burns cry all during Tuesday, although they were together much of the time after Burns' death. She said that Mrs. Burns showed no indications of sorrow.

Mr. Bartlett asked her if she hadn't told him that she would not come here to Portsmouth and testify at the trial

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Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, November 17, 1915.

## Our Remarkable Country.

When people read of such a storm as swept a section of Kansas a few days ago, resulting in numerous deaths, many injuries and the destruction of hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of property, they sometimes wonder why people will live in a region subject to such visitations. But they do live and prosper in spite of tornadoes, floods and other destructive forces which are felt in different parts of the country from time to time.

This is a great and remarkable country. As compared with the Old World it is many countries combined in one. Its immense area, its great variety of soil and climate and its wealth of natural resources of all kinds are not equalled in any nation in the world.

The western states, the home of the tornado and occasional disastrous floods, constitute the agricultural heart of the country. There is agriculture in all sections, but the West is responsible for the immense production of cereals and meats which is the wonder of the world. The section has its drawbacks, of which the liability to tornadoes is one, but the good so far outweighs the evil, the advantages so far outweigh the disadvantages, that the people not only retain their footing, but go steadily forward in all that constitutes civilization and progress.

And the same is true to a certain extent of all parts of the country. There are places on the coast which occasionally suffer from storms such as are experienced nowhere else, but the inhabitants do not run away. They stick and hang, guarding themselves against the assaults of the natural elements to the best of human ability, and continue to prosper. The New England winter is something to be endured, particularly at a time when a few days and a few dollars will take one to regions of perpetual sunshine, but the natives, and thousands who have come from milder climes, brave its rigors and would not exchange their home for all the tropical glories in the world.

Aid so while there is never a lack of sympathy with sufferers from "nature on the rampage," there is no occasion to despair of any part of this great and glorious country. It is good in every part despite any and all drawbacks that may exist. The record of the past is one of steady achievement and progress, and there is every reason to believe that the record of the future will far exceed that of the past.

At a recent church conference in Pittsburgh one minister strongly advocated advertising as a means of increasing church attendance and membership. There could be no objection to proper newspaper announcement of church activities, of which there is a great deal already, without money and without price, but it should hardly be necessary for the churches to vie with the merchants in setting their claims before the public. "By their fruits shall ye know them."

There is a serious shortage of cars in some parts of the country, and everybody knows what this means. It means that the great crops are being moved and that business of all kinds is picking up in cases where it has not already picked up, and on the boom. A shortage of cars is inconvenient, but it is a healthy sign.

A Bavarian army surgeon is said to have found city men better adapted to military service than men from the farms. However this may be, it is safe to assume that none of the warring nations is haggling over the question of whether volunteers are from the city or the country. With open arms all are welcomed to arms.

Mrs. Galt, the fiancee of President Wilson, is apparently about as particular and set in her ways as her future husband. It is announced that she cannot find in Washington or New York hats to suit her and that she is going to make them herself. Now look out for some new styles in "hats for women."

Senator Stone of Missouri is not satisfied with a program of preparedness sufficient for defense only. He wants a navy not only strong enough to defend our coasts, but to go out on the high seas and sweep the world if necessary. And Senator Stone is a democrat, too.

Bull fighting and cock fighting have been prohibited in Mexico. This is well if the prohibition can be made effective, but the elimination of revolution and outlawry would be even more beneficial to that distressed republic.

A magazine writer alludes to the "inventor" of the story of George Washington and his little hatchet. This would indicate that if the Father of his Country could not tell a lie, there was some one else who could.

## CURRENT OPINION

Next War Will Be Fought With Machinery and Brains.

Our next war will be a machine war—a war of brains rather than blood. In my opinion, we should substitute machines for men, so that the efficiency of each man in time of war could be multiplied by twenty through the aid of machinery.

But the country must be prepared for the ordeal. It would be economy for us to erect factories with a capacity for turning out just as much powder as is being shot away each day in Europe.

These factories would not be so expensive if kept in readiness to turn out powder when it is needed.—By Thomas A. Edison, Noted Inventor.

## FULL RESOURCES OF SHIP YARDS

### Navy League Advises That Congress Build All War Ships Possible.

Washington, Nov. 16.—A resolution calling upon the President and Congress at once to lay down as many dreadnaughts, battle cruisers, scouts and auxiliaries as the shipbuilding resources of the country will permit to meet the present crisis and dangerous situations which may arise at the close of the European war was unanimously passed at a meeting of the directors of the Navy League yesterday. Resolutions were also passed to the effect that in the present emergency the United States would be justified in issuing bonds to obtain funds for national defence, and referring the league's call to the President to establish a general council of national defence.

The passage of the resolution calling for the construction of as many ships as possible with the greatest possible speed followed a discussion during which it was asserted that the gravest need of the United States for a powerful navy probably would come at the close of the present great war.

Accordingly it was concluded that no effort ought to be spared to insure the prompt laying down of the greatest possible number of ships at ship building plants in this country and their completion at the earliest possible date. The meeting at which the resolutions were adopted was held at the residence of Colonel Robert M. Thompson, president of the Navy League. Among those who attended were about thirty directors, vice-presidents and eminent men in the professions and industries of the United States, resident in many sections and representing more than thirty thousand men and women who are members of the Navy League and its woman's section.

The resolutions follow:

"Resolved, That the Navy League of the United States views with satisfaction the recognition of the administration of the 'urgency and necessity' for national preparation to protect the interests of the United States.

"The crisis confronting the country calls for immediate action. The increase of our navy should be made at the earliest possible moment. It is the belief of the Navy League of the United States that our navy should be restored to its former position of strength among the navies of the world as quickly as the ship building resources of the country will permit.

"As the creation of trained crews for the large number of additional vessels needed is a question of vital importance, the Navy League of the United States believes that every effort should be made to include in the program of ship building enough officers and men to fill as soon as possible the depleted complements of the active fleet, the complements of the ships in reserve and under construction and the crews of the vessels which it is proposed to lay down.

"And, in conclusion, it is the conviction of the Navy League of the United States that the prompt creation of a real general staff for our navy is absolutely necessary if we are to place our fleet on an efficient basis.

"Resolved, That it is the opinion of the Navy League of the United States that the necessity of the immediate construction of a number of capital ships and other vessels urgently needed constitutes an emergency justifying the issuance of the bonds now

available in the United States Treasury and confidently believes that the American people will be found as ready to lend money for this purpose as for the needs of foreign nations.

"Resolved, That the Navy League of the United States reiterates its frequently expressed belief that a council of national defence should be immediately authorized by the Congress for the proper co-ordination of all the forces necessary for national defence."

### LEGAL BUSINESS BEING HELD UP

#### Investigation of Munition Plots Holds Up Government Business.

(Special to The Herald) Washington, Nov. 17.—The legitimate legal business of the country is practically at a standstill, owing to the wide spread plot to break the neutrality of this country. This was admitted at the department of justice today, when it was stated that all of the men are engaged in the investigation of the plots against the munition plants and other industries on this country.

### DUTCH HEAR PEACE RUMORS

#### That Emperor William Will Get Busy in This Direction Soon.

(Special to The Herald) Amsterdam, Nov. 17.—Dutch financial circles are in receipt of information to the effect that peace overtures are to be made by Germany in the near future, either through the Vatican or the United States.

### ATTENDANCE OVER 18,000,000

#### Panama Fair Exposition Breaks All Record Figures.

(Special to The Herald) San Francisco, Nov. 17.—The attendance of the Panama Exposition will reach 17,000,000 by Friday noon and the grand total before the close on December 4 will be more than 18,000,000, according to estimates made public.

### LINER AGROUND IN THE CLYDE

(Special to The Herald) Glasgow, Nov. 17.—The liner *Tuscania*, bound for Glasgow to New York, went aground on the Clyde today in a thick fog. She was re-floated and put back to port for overhauling. While she was aground all shipping was blocked.

### WHAT KIND DO YOU USE?

What is the brand of your favorite soap, your favorite tea, baking powder, the garters you wear, the pieces on the folding machine? You know the names well. They are advertised names. The goods give good service. You like them. There are other kinds of advertised goods you will like equally well. It will pay you to buy them because they have character. Do you know them? Read the advertising columns of this newspaper.

## TOOK 2000 SERBIAN PRISONERS

### Germans Make Steady Progress in Serbia.

(Special to The Herald)

Berlin, via wireless, Nov. 17.—The capture of 2000 more Serbian prisoners was announced in today's official report of the German general staff. It stated that the pursuit of the Serbians in their mountain fastness is proceeding satisfactorily, the enemy not being able to delay the advance of the Germans. In the eastern theatre of war, Russian war ships have bombarded Pragge, a town of Northern Courland now held by the Germans.

### NAVY YARD NOTES

#### Naval Orders

Captain B. Tappan, Olongapo and Cavite station to home, wait orders.

Lieut. B. Ware, commissioned.

Jr. Lieuts. D. E. Darby, W. S. Hogg Jr., commissioned.

Surgeon A. Sturt to recruiting station, Lowell, Mass.

P. A. Surgeon S. L. Higgins to naval hospital, Iwo Jima, Okinawa, Col.

Asst. Surgeon A. P. Bowman, the Delaware to marine brigade, Hayti.

Pay Master A. F. Huntingdon, commissioned.

Chief Gunner C. Hierdahl, the Albany to Puget Sound yard.

Quartermaster G. C. Tauske, Puget Sound yard to connection fitting out the Pennsylvania and on board when commissioned.

Carpenter A. G. Merrill, Boston yard to the Vestal.

Carpenter R. E. Corson, the Wyoming to Newport News Shipbuilding Co.

Pay Clerk Dunn, receiving ship at New York to six months sick leave.

Vessel Movements

The Duke and Decatur have arrived Shanghai.

The Dolphin at Washington.

The Glacier at San Francisco.

The Jason at Lambert Point.

The Kentucky at Progreso.

The Perkins and Sterrett at Key West.

The Celtic has sailed from Progreso for Vera Cruz.

The Cushing from Rosebank for Hampton Roads.

The Iris from San Pedro for San Diego.

The New Jersey, Rhode Island and Virginia from New York for Block Island.

The Raleigh from San Bias for Mazatlan.

The Perkins, Sterrett, Flusser and Lamson have been detailed to temporary duty at the aviation station, Pensacola, Fla.

The Perkins and Sterrett now enroute from Pensacola, and the Flusser and Lamson will leave Charleston for that port about the first proximo.

Have Taken New Positions

H. L. Gibson has resigned his position as messenger in the Industrial Department to accept one with the Phillips Manufacturing Company in Portsmouth. Phillip Long a molder's helper, has also given up his position on the navy yard and has taken employment with the Phillips Company.

Ordered South

The Kanawha, now at Port Arthur, Texas, has been ordered to proceed to Hampton Roads.

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Soldiers Play 'Frisco Boys

The football teams representing Post

McKinley at Portland and the U. S. S.

San Francisco met on the navy yard gridiron this Wednesday afternoon.

The Flusser team won the game.

Group-Magruder

The marriage of Lieut. Stuart Osmond Magruder, U. S. N., to Miss Adele

Bonah Magruder, daughter of Captain

and Mrs. Thaddeus P. Magruder, U. S. N.

of Newport, R. I., took place today in

that city. The ceremony was performed

by Chaplain Mathew Gleeson of the

training station. Miss Katherine G.

Knight, daughter of Rear Admiral

Knight, attended the bride.

STILL WORKING ON HOBBS' CASE

Police Officer Fred Schreider who ac-

companied Mrs. Millie Damon Hobbs

to Haverhill on Tuesday, to try and

identify a suspect held by the Haverhill

police in the kidnaping case, is still

working with the Haverhill police on

the case.

Mrs. Hobbs, who was accompanied by

her uncle, Mr. Jenness, returned home

last evening, having failed to identify

the man held as the fugitive police of-

ficer.

Officer Schreider, with a Haverhill

officer went to Boston last evening to

follow up another suspect, who the po-

lice had gotten track of. The Haverhill

police are doing good work on the case

and expect to land the man who im-

personated the police officer.

They are of the opinion however, that

the man is in the woods and is now on his

way.

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SPOKE-AT HAMPTON.

Supt. J. N. Pringle at Hampton Parent-Teachers' Meeting.

There was a meeting at Hampton on Tuesday evening of the parents and teachers of the schools of the town, and it was very much of a success, with the hall crowded.

Supt. James N. Pringle of this city was the principal speaker. A social followed the address and the meeting was such a great success that it will be held at various times during the winter.

**CHILEAN MINISTER  
DROPPED DEAD**

Kyoto, Nov. 17—Francisco Herbesco, Chilean minister to Japan, dropped dead here today while attending a concert at the Kyoto Hotel, in Japan.

## THE COMING OPENING OF THE

**Siegel Store****WAIT WAIT WAIT**

The Siegel Store will open soon with a Big Sale of the Very Latest Styles of Suits, Coats, Dresses, Skirts, Waists and Furs.

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**SHRINERS  
HOLD STATE MEET**

Gather From All Over State at Concord for Banquet and Work.

Mystic Shriners from all parts of the state were, in Concord last night for the ceremonial session of Bektash Temple in Phenix Hall. They came by automobile, regular and special trains, all intent on enjoying the big time arranged by Illustrous Potentate Shubael P. Dearborn.

A special train brought the Shriners from Dover and Portsmouth and way stations and took them back home after the ceremonial. Special electric cars were run from Manchester to accommodate the Nashua and vicinity Shriners who were present in considerable numbers.

Supper was served at the Auditorium at 5 o'clock, followed by a business session at Phenix Hall at 6, and the ceremonial procession at 7 o'clock. At the conclusion of that there was a vaudeville show given and other entertainment provided.

## GIRLS' CLUB NOTES.

At the close of the classes on Monday night, Miss Anna L. Vintow, a graduate of Dr. Brackett's school for Social Workers, spoke with much enthusiasm of the life and customs of Hampton Institute, and of its small beginning and its steady growth, until today there are enrolled 1400 students. Miss Vintow paid a touching tribute to Booker T. Washington who was a student at this school in its early days. Photographs taken by the speaker, who was formerly a teacher,

er there, were shown of the buildings and grounds.

Luncheon was served as usual on Tuesday. Some new members availed themselves of this opportunity to have a hot lunch for a small sum.

Join the club during its campaign for new members. There is a place for every girl over 16 years of age. Come and swell the number and enter into the good times.

Next week will be held the monthly social which will be in the form of a reunion at Grandfather's farm. Everyone is asked to come dressed in the costume of a farmer. There will be Grandfather and Grandmother there to welcome you. Don't disappoint them. The date will be announced later.

Don't forget the Christmas sale on Dec. 4. Bring your articles in at once. Gymnastic class at 8 o'clock Thursday evening, and embroidery at 7:30 as usual.

**OLD DIRECTORS  
ARE REELECTED**

Annual Meeting of the Portsmouth Brewing Co. Held Wednesday.

## GIRLS' CLUB NOTES.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Portsmouth Brewing Company was held at the office of the company at 11 o'clock, Wednesday. The following board of directors was re-elected: Arthur Harris, New York; William F. Harrington and Lawrence J. Harrington of Manchester; James H. McClellan of Portland; George W. Pollard of Portsmouth. The directors organized as follows: President, Arthur Harris; vice president, William F. Harrington; purchasing agent, Arthur Harris; treasurer and general manager, William F. Harrington; clerk and assistant general manager, George W. Pollard.

The report of the treasurer showed the past year to have been one of the most prosperous in the history of this flourishing industry.

**PERSONALS**

Laurence Harrington of Manchester was a visitor here today. Miss Blanche Boynton has returned from a visit to Providence.

James H. McClellan of Portland, Me., was a visitor here on Wednesday.

Mr. Winfield Thompson of the Boston Globe is here covering the Burns trial for his paper.

Staff Photographer Small of the Boston Globe was here today in connection with the Burns' case.

Samuel H. Kingsbury of State street is today Wednesday, observing the eighty-second anniversary of his birth.

Benjamin F. Martin of Irvington street is today, Wednesday, quietly observing another anniversary of his birth.

Miss Elizabeth C. Nagle has returned to her home in Brookline, Mass., after visiting her aunt, Mrs. David Hartwell of Union street.

Miss Edith G. Nagle, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. David Hartwell of Union street, has returned to her home in Brookline, Mass.

Major Chauncey B. Hoyt and Herbert B. Dow went to Dover on Wednesday afternoon to attend the funeral of City Treasurer W. Kirk Chadwick.

David A. Belden of Haverhill, Mass., president of the Northeastern Massachusetts street railroad lines, was a visitor here today, Wednesday.

Rev. Dr. Edward Robie of Greenland was a visitor here today. Although nearly 90 years old Dr. Robie is remarkably active for his years.

The many friends of Henry Murek, the veteran lacemaker, were pleased to see him out on Tuesday after being restricted to his home for the past month by illness.

William F. Harrington of Manchester, general manager of the Portsmouth Brewing Company, was here today, Wednesday, to attend the annual meeting of the company.

According to reliable information six persons from Dover are employed at the munition plant of the New England Steel and Ordnance company at Freeman's Point.

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**PRESIDENT  
INTERCEDES FOR  
HILLSTROM**

Again Urges Governor of Utah to Reconsider I. W. W. Poet's Case.

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Nov. 17—President Wilson today telegraphed Gov. Frye of Utah, urging him to reconsider the case of Joseph Hillstrom, the I. W. W. poet who is sentenced to die next Friday at Salt Lake City. The President has no power to pardon Hillstrom, his case resting wholly with the state. The President said in his telegram: "With unaffected hesitation, but with a very earnest conviction of the importance of the case, I again venture to urge upon your Excellency the justice and advisability of a thorough reconsideration of the case of Joseph Hillstrom."

**PICTURES TO  
HOLD OVER FOR  
THIRD DAY**

NEW PLAN NOW IN OPERATION  
AT THE PORTSMOUTH THEA-  
TRE WILL GIVE ALL A  
CHANCE TO SEE BIG  
FEATURES.

Because of the great success of the feature pictures now the policy of the Portsmouth Theatre, the management has decided that beginning today the pictures will remain over for three instead of two days a week. The great six reel feature story, "The Lone Chance" and the current installment of "Neal of the Navy" will be the first of the big screen productions to be played here under the new plan.

The Long Chance, a great gambling story, full of red-blooded interest, drew delighted audiences at both Monday's and Tuesday's sessions and should continue to be a big attraction here today. The story is full of action and pretty romance running through it prevents it from becoming cold-blooded at any time. With Frank Keenan one of the best of the well known Broadway stars in the lead, the plan could not prove anything but a big success.

**BULGARS CAPTURE  
TOWN NEAR NISH**

TAKE 7000 SERBIAN PRISONERS  
ACCORDING TO SOFIA  
DISPATCH.(Special to The Herald)  
Sofia, Nov. 17.—The Serbian town of Dikankie, twenty miles southwest of Nish, has been captured by the Bulgarians. It was announced today. The war office also announced the capture of 7000 Serbians.**KITTERY POINT**

The Whist Club met this afternoon with Miss Alice Patch.

Mrs. William Tobey returned Tuesday from Boston where she has been passing a few days.

The B. G. Club will meet on Friday evening with Miss Bertha Friesbee.

Miss Alice Patch will entertain the K. F. G. Club on Saturday.

The Whist Club observed Gentlemen's Night last Saturday evening. Four tables were in use and the evening was passed very pleasantly. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Favors were awarded as follows: Gentlemen's first, Fred Clause; consolation, Thurston Patch; ladies' first, Mrs. Amos Anne Anee; consolation, Miss Alice Patch.

A business meeting of the Intermediate Christian Endeavor Society will be held with Rev. Wm. F. Coffin this Wednesday evening, followed by a social. All young people are invited.

Tonight a cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Father Lewis, Sr., Braceboat Harbor road. Thursday evening one will be held at the home of Mrs. Eliza E. Bray and at the Community House. Meetings will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bodell and Mrs. Robert Blinga on Friday evening.

**INSTRUCTION FOR  
ARTILLERY OFFICERS**

Course Laid Out by Adjutant General.

Orders were issued Monday by the adjutant-general's department, prescribing a course of theoretical instruction for captains and lieutenants of the line of the Coast Artillery Corps.

Four courses are prescribed, basic, emplacement, range, communication and artillery.

There will be monthly problems furnished each officer of the Coast Artillery Corps, who has not completed the required course.

These problems will be sent out by the inspector-instructor on the first of each month during the period January-April.

Answers thereto will be returned to him on or before the seventh day

**The COLONIAL THEATRE**  
SAFETY AND QUALITY FIRST

Here is a show that we think is the best ever. The acts are so well known in the vaudeville world that they hardly need any introduction.

It does not take a great amount of space to tell about the offerings at the Colonial. They speak for themselves. The thousands of patrons do the advertising.

This is the program for today. Quality first, remember. There is something on this bill that will just capture every woman and child in Portsmouth. Look if ever.

**VAUDEVILLE**For Monday  
Tuesday and Wednesday**"DAWSON AND GILLETTE"**—In "First Aid to the Gloomy," a rollicking comedy hit.**"HEIM, WASHBURN AND DEARS"**

—Snappy, up-to-the-minute trio, in a comedy singing, dancing and talking act.

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—Three men, one woman. The act beautiful, instructive and historical. Carload of special scenery and effects.

**PICTURES**

Wednesday and Thursday

**"BRUTE FORCE"**—A D. W. Griffith production in two reels.**"THE FABLE OF THE SORROWS  
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of the month following that in which of proficiency, which will excuse him from further study or school examination in that particular subject, and be given weight on a question of promotion.

The commanding officer Coast Artillery Corps, will prescribe the course of study for the non-commissioned officers of his corps, taking the subjects to be taken up, and the time to be devoted to each. Upon the completion of the time allotted to a subject, the corps commander will prepare questions for the examinations, cause written examinations to be held, mark the papers submitted and publish the result, showing the comparative rating of proficiency of all non-commissioned officers taking the course.

Each company commander will in attitude a school for selected privates of his company, prescribe a course, detail an instructor and cause such examinations to be held as he may desire. The results of such examinations should be considered in the selection of non-commissioned officers.

Read the Want Ads.

**TO-NIGHT**AT  
The Portsmouth Theatre

After a change of entertainment at this theatre we will start our regular program for this week, which will include five- and six-reel features of nothing but the best, latest and most interesting pictures.

To start with TODAY, we feature that famous, historic star

**Frank Keenan**

Pronounced the greatest character actor that ever appeared on Broadway

In that Magnificent Dramatization in Five Acts

**"The Long Chance"**

Adapted from the story by the renowned author, Peter E. Kyne. Produced by Edward LeSaint.

Shown just the same with a small audience as with a large one—but it is most generally large.

Then we will show that great serial entitled

**"Neal of the Navy"**

This is the tenth episode entitled "The Rolling Terror." Two reels.

These are only our feature pictures.

There Will Be No Advance in Prices This Week, 10c

**TO-NIGHT**

# FRENCH AND SERBS JOIN NEAR PRILEP

**Former Repulse Bulgar Attacks in the East--Bulgars Making Desperate Efforts to Capture Monastir.**

London, Nov. 16.—The French War Office issued the following statement Tuesday:

"There was intermittent cannonading in the region of Rabrovo in the direction of Krivolak on Nov. 12. A violent action took place on the left bank of the Cerna, where the Bulgarians continue without success their attacks."

"Our troops have established a junction, which is becoming closer with the Serbian detachments who are operating in the region of Prilep."

Abandon Albanian Route

According to the Frankfurter Zeitung the French General Staff has given up its intention to send troops by way of South Quaranta on the Adriatic Sea in Southern Albania to Monastir, Serbia, as patrols which had arrived there reported this route was impossible. The French troops landed in Sant' Quaranta therefore already have reembarked, the newspaper says.

A Skopje despatch to the Daily Telegraph says:

The Bulgarians with large forces are making a determined effort to open the way to Monastir, while they are launching furious attacks on the French holding the left bank of the Cerna. They are attempting a turning movement against Bitubana Pass to Tetovo and Gostivar. This would bring them out at Prilep, south of the passes. As the Serbian force is weak and has been fighting incessantly for ten days, the fear is entertained that the invaders may succeed. In breaking down the stubborn defense which General Vassiltz has up to the present opposed to their advance and that Monastir is again endangered."

Germany Again Forced Back

Petrograd, Nov. 16.—The official communication from general headquarters issued reads:

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# URS For AT the BORTHWICK STORE

19, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m., and will be closed until 9 p. m., Saturday, Nov. 20.

The reliable furriers,  
Lund SIEHRBURGER & ASHER  
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"They Will have charge of the sale.  
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Oil on board.

## SHIP PEDOED MORE CARE BEING TAKEN WITH GUARDS

At Munition Plant Must Have  
"O. K." of the Police  
Department.

A police officer was stationed at Noble's Island this morning, beginning at 6 o'clock, with orders to prevent people walking across the trestle on the Dover track to the New England Steel and Ordnance Company plant. This was in accordance with the orders issued by the Boston & Maine railroad and the officials of the plant.

The workmen, as a result, had to walk around via Cutts street, somewhat of a hike.

The company is daily taking on more men, and the employment bureau on Cutts street, just outside of the plant, is a busy place. There does not seem to be any lack of workmen, and there are more now than the company wants.

The guard is being rearranged and no one is being employed for this work except those approved by the city marshal of this city. More care is being used in the selection of the guards and they have been divided into two shifts, night and day.

The plant presents a busy place today, for hundreds of men are at work, and the contractors who have been assigned certain work are getting under way.

### PORTRAIT PAINTER IN CRITICAL CONDITION

(Special to The Herald)

New York, Nov. 17.—Henry Mosley, the famous American painter is in a critical condition as a result of a fracture at the base of the skull sustained when he fell from a moving steam car today.

### THE SCENIC HIGH STREET

HIGH CLASS FEATURES!  
PARAMOUNT PROGRAM!

For Wednesday and Thursday we will present the first of a series of twelve three-part dramas, each dealing with some vital question of modern life, entitled

### WHOPAYS?

A Pathé production featuring Ruth Roland and Henry King. Each story is distinct and complete in itself. Undoubtedly the "Who Pays" series will have a stronger appeal than any other picture ever seen in this city.

### THE GHOST WAGON

101 Bison Drama in three reels.

### SUCH A PRINCESS

Rex—Drama in three reels.

### NO FLIRTING ALLOWED

L-Ko Comedy.

### THE VILLAGE SMITHY

Joker Comedy.

Coming, Friday and Saturday, Paramount feature, "Sunshine Molly," a tense story of the oil fields in five reels.

"The Broken Coin," 12th Episode.

## WELL KNOWN PORTSMOUTH GIRL MARRIED

Miss Mary F. Chase Becomes  
the Bride of Boatswain  
James J. Joyce, U. S. N.

The Church of the Immaculate Conception was the scene of a brilliant wedding this Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock when Miss Mary Frances Chase, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph Chase of this city, became the bride of Boatswain James Joseph Joyce, U. S. N.

The impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Alexander Sullivan, P. R., in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends that fully attested the popularity of the contracting parties.

The bride was attractively attired in a white satin dress, with train and veil. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley.

The bridesmaid was Miss Katherine M. Chase, sister of the bride, who was attired in a gown of light blue crepe-motor, black velvet picture hat and carried a bouquet of pink Killarney roses.

The best man was John A. Joyce of New York, brother of the groom.

Immediately after the ceremony the wedding party repaired to the home of the bride's parents, No. 82 Partridge street where a wedding breakfast was served.

The menu consisted of grape fruit, chicken and lobster salad, rolls, ice cream, assorted cake, coffee.

The gift of the groom to the best man was a gold watch and the gift of the bride to her bridesmaid was a ring.

Boatswain and Mrs. Joyce left on the noon train on an extended wedding trip which will include the San Francisco and San Diego Expositions. A large party of friends were at the railroad station to witness their departure. The bride's going away dress was of midnight blue velvet with belt to match.

On their return they will reside at Annapolis, Md., where the groom is at present stationed.

The bride was for a number of years employed at Hassett's music store and enjoys an extensive acquaintance.

The newly married couple start life under the most favorable auspices and with the best wishes of their large circle of acquaintances.

Picture—"Belle of Baregate"—In drama, this one reeler is a romance of the sea coast. A child saved from a wreck is the heroine. A fine picture.

PICTURE—"THE DREAM SEEKERS"—Kalem 2 parts.

"REMEMBER, WE LEAD, OTHERS FOLLOW."

### PARENT-TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

The first Fall meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association of the Farragut school will be held at the school building on Friday evening. A talk on a trip through Yellowstone Park, illustrated by pictures, will be given. The new Victrola purchased for the school will be used.

city and Miss Beulice F. McDonough, a much esteemed young lady of Dover were united in the holy bonds of wedlock at St. Mary's church in Dover on Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father John J. Bradley in the presence of many friends, among whom were guests from Portsmouth, Ogunquit, Me., Somersworth and Lawrence, Mass.

The best man was Thomas P. McDonough, brother of the bride, and the maid of honor was Miss Mary Divine.

Following the wedding ceremony the wedding party went to the home of the bride 31 St. Thomas street where they received the congratulations of their friends and then enjoyed a fine wedding breakfast.

The happy couple were well remembered with costly and useful presents, choice reminders of the high esteem in which they are held by their friends. The couple left Dover on the 1:40 train for a brief wedding tour and on their return will take up a residence in Portsmouth.

### COLONIAL THEATRE

Home of Refined Vaudeville.  
Safety and Quality First.

Wednesday and Thursday  
Picture—"Brute Force"—A. D. W. Griffith production in 2 reels. A. D. W. Griffith was the man who produced "The Birth of a Nation." You all remember how good that was. Well, this "Brute Force" is as good if not better.

It is only in two reels and features those stars such as Mac Marsh and Robert Harron. See them.  
For Wednesday Only:

ACT—"Dawson and Gillette." A rollicking comedy hit.

Picture—"Ah, another one of those funny George Ade photoplays with a moral on the end called, "The Fable of The Sorrows of the Unemployed"

For Wednesday Only:

ACT—"Heim-Washburn and Deans." Snappy, up-to-the-minute trio in a comedy, singing, dancing and talking act, that comes direct from the New York Palace Theatre.

Picture—"The Ebony Casket"—Vaudeville Comedy. It contains a big surprise. It brings happiness to one young couple while two rascals only get the laugh. An all star cast.

For Wednesday Only:

ACT—The net beautiful, instructive and historical—Havilock's Military sensational war pictures and posing, 2 men and one woman. Cartoon of special scenery and effects. An act that you will tell your friends about. Take the children to see this—your wives and brothers.

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### OBSEQUIES

John H. Chesley.

The body of John H. Chesley of Nottingham, who died in this city Tuesday, Nov. 16, was sent to that town today for interment under the direction of H. W. Nickerson.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend to our friends and neighbors our heartfelt thanks for their kindness and assistance during our mother's last sickness, also for the beautiful floral tributes.

ERNEST PARKER.  
MAURICE PARKER.

## ARMY AND NAVY NIGHT AT THE COLONIAL THEATRE

BIG POSING ACT OF ESPECIAL INTEREST TO ALL MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN THIS CITY

This evening, the last of the three days' stay in this city of the great Havilock's beautiful act, will be shown as Army and Navy Night at the Colonial Theatre, where this wonderful offering is being presented. The act proved to be as big a success last evening as it did on Monday, its opening night here. It is unquestionably one of the finest amusement offerings ever brought into this city; not alone because of its novelty but also for its own merits and a quality act. The beautiful pictures presented by the three actors, backed by the great scenic and lighting effects, makes this act stand out unique in the history of vaudeville. It is a distinctly "different" sort of entertainment ever offered here. There is not a word spoken from the beginning to its end, and in order to be appreciated it must be seen. There is something of interest to every man, woman and child, no matter what the occupation of the patron may be.

Heim, Washburn and Geers again scored at last evening's performance.

Their musical offering, a three man minstrel show is another novelty, and the singing of the three actors proved to be worth going miles to see not for getting a lot of clean, brilliant comedy.

Dawson and Gillette in their comedy

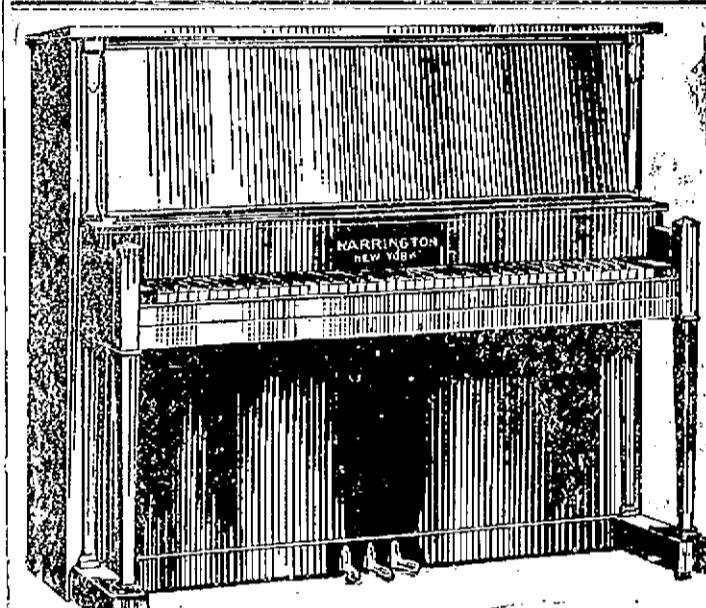
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